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RE: House Bill 863 (First Edition)

SUMMARY TABLE

FISCAL IMPACT OF H.B.863, V.1

FY 2019-20 FY 2020-21 FY 2021-22 FY 2022-23 FY 2023-24

State Impact

General Fund Background check fees & costs of approximately \$24,000 each election cycle.

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FISCAL IMPACT SUMMARY

H863 would require candidates for sheriff or selected appointees to provide information for a disclosure statement and a fee to cover the cost of a criminal background check to the North Carolina Sheriffs' Education and Training Statements Commission.

FISCAL ANALYSIS

Sheriffs are elected in even-numbered years to serve four-year terms. Assuming five candidates for office in each county, and a background check fee of \$48 per candidate, a total of 500 candidates would pay the fees over a period of four years for a total of \$24,000. This revenue would be used to off-set the cost to the Department of Public Safety of providing the background checks.

TECHNICAL CONSIDERATIONS

N/A.

DATA SOURCES

FISCAL ANALYSIS MEMORANDUM - PURPOSE AND LIMITATIONS

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